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AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Dear Sir-

In response to the Office Action mailed August 19, 2008, setting a three (3) month shortened statutory period for response, Applicant submits the present amendment and response under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111.

Claims 1-18 remain pending in the application. Claims 1-4 and 8-18 have been amended. New Claim 19 has been added, and no claims have been canceled. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of all pending claims.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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